

NOTICE OF A CITIZENS INFORMATIONAL WORKSHOP FOR THE
PROPOSED I-73 CONNECTOR FROM N.C. 68 TO BRYAN BOULEVARD, WEST OF
THE GREENSBORO WESTERN LOOP

TIP Project No. I-5110

Guilford County

The North Carolina Department of Transportation (NCDOT) will hold a citizens' informational workshop for the above project on Monday, September 19, 2011 from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m. in the 7800 Concourse Building – Board Room 101, located at 7800 Airport Center Drive in Greensboro.

NCDOT proposes the construction of the I-73 Connector, a proposed new location freeway that will connect N.C. 68 (near the proposed U.S. 220/ N.C. 68 Connector – TIP Project R-2413) with Bryan Boulevard west of the Greensboro Western Loop (I-73/ I-840). The purpose of this project is to complete a missing link in the I-73 corridor by joining the existing and future portions of I-73 in the Greensboro area.

This will enhance north-south mobility and interstate connectivity through North Carolina and the Piedmont Triad region. The 1.5-mile project will require additional right-of-way acquisition and the relocation of homes and businesses.

Citizens are invited to speak individually with NCDOT officials and to review the project area map. Aerial mapping denoting the project area will be displayed at the workshop. The opportunity to submit written comments or questions will also be provided. Comments and suggestions received will be considered during the design phase. Interested citizens may attend at any time during the above mentioned hours. There will not be a formal presentation.

Anyone desiring additional information may contact Ahmad Al-Sharawneh of the NCDOT Project Development and Environmental Analysis Branch at 1548 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, NC 27699-1548, by phone at (919) 707-6010 or via email at aalsharawneh@ncdot.gov. Citizens can also contact project manager Mark Reep with Florence & Hutcheson, Inc. at 5121 Kingdom Way, Suite 100, Raleigh, NC 27607, via phone at (919) 851-6066 ext. 138 or via email at mreep@flohut.com.

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who want to participate in this workshop. Anyone requiring special services should contact Al-Sharawneh as early as possible so that arrangements can be made.